

'Laurier for the West'--Alberta's Slogan

Delegates Renew Fealty at Enthusiastic Conference in Winnipeg--Perfect Unanimity

Two Hundred And Fifty Attend Meeting In Fort Garry Hotel Presided Over By Mayor Henry--Hon. A. G. MacKay Strikes Keynote, "One General And That General, Laurier"--Premier Sifton, Hon. Frank Oliver, Hon. C. W. Cross, Hon. Duncan Marshall, Hon. J. R. Boyle, Hon. Wilfrid Gariépy And Others Speak--Dr Clark, W. A. Buchanan And James Douglas, Members Of Federal House, Explain Their Position.

(Special to The Bulletin).

WINNIPEG, Man., Aug. 6.—Alberta Liberals through their delegates to the great convention which opens Tuesday morning have already declared themselves with no uncertain sound and with a unanimity as gratifying as complete on the one important question of leadership. They are solidly for Sir Wilfrid Laurier.

At a meeting in the Fort Garry this afternoon attended by 250 delegates and presided over by Mayor Henry of Edmonton, the Alberta men with three ladies, Mrs. Kneil, Edmonton, and Mrs. Cartwright and Mrs. Davidson, of Calgary, gathered preliminary to the convention proper. It developed into a remarkably enthusiastic demonstration for Sir Wilfrid Laurier and for his western lieutenant, Hon. Frank Oliver, who was present and whose entrance was the signal for an ovation which by its warmth and spontaneity obviously embarrassed its recipient.

No "Doubting Thomases."

There may have been some few "Doubting Thomases" in the Alberta delegation before this afternoon's meeting. There were none afterwards. Every mention of the name of Sir Wilfrid and Mr. Oliver was the signal for a fresh outburst of cheers.

The keynote of the meeting was struck by Hon. A. G. MacKay, who declared that Liberals in the forthcoming battle wanted one general and that general, Sir Wilfrid.

On the platform were Premier Sifton, Hon. Frank Oliver, Jas. Douglas, M.P., Dr. Michael Clark, M.P., W. A. Buchanan, M.P., Hon. C. W. Cross, Hon. J. R. Boyle, Hon. Duncan Marshall, Hon. Wilfrid Gariépy and a number of the other members of the legislature.

The premier explained briefly the purpose of the meeting and spoke of the events leading up to the calling of the convention, the precise person responsible for which he did not know.

Calls For "Oliver."

Immediately after Mr. Sifton's speech there were calls from all parts of the hall for "Oliver," who responded expressing his gratification on the splendid delegation of men and women who had been willing to travel the thousand miles to attend the convention, thus signifying their deep interest in and concern for the welfare of the country in this time of crisis, not only in national but also in world affairs.

Hon. C. W. Cross spoke briefly stating his position as unalterably opposed to the Borden government and strong for Sir Wilfrid Laurier as Liberal leader.

Hon. Duncan Marshall criticized the Borden administration for its failure to adopt vigorous and effective means of increasing production of food stuffs and prohibiting Canadian millers from milling white flour.

All Express Confidence.

Other addresses, all expressing confidence for the future of Liberalism, were given by Messrs. Boyle and Gariépy and the following members-elect of the legislature: A. G. MacKay, Geo. P. Smith, J. G. Turgeon, Martin Woolf and W. A. Rae.

The three ladies present also each spoke briefly, as did Dr Clark, W. A. Buchanan and Jas. Douglas, the three Alberta Federal members who voted for conscription. They each declared they were still Liberals and explained that they had voted as they did from honest motives.

Following the lead set by Alberta, the delegates from Saskatchewan and Manitoba each met separately later in the day.

FOUR PREMIERS OF WEST SPEAK TO DELEGATES

Convention Reception In Royal Alexandra Hotel, Winnipeg.

NOTABLE TRIBUTE TO HON. F. OLIVER

Premier Martin Says Gathering Presages Sweeping Liberal Victory.

(Special to The Bulletin)

WINNIPEG, Aug. 6.—At the reception tendered to the four western premiers tonight at the Royal Alexandra hotel, a large bull ring was crowded to the doors and the demonstration in favor of Sir Wilfrid Laurier and Hon. Frank Oliver, which originated at the Alberta meeting in the afternoon, was renewed with increased vigor. Mr. Oliver came into the room while one of the premiers was giving his address and was greeted with rounds of applause which continued for several minutes and which could leave no room for doubt in the minds of any spectators as to the place which he holds in the estimation of the great body of Liberals.

(By Morning Bulletin Leased Wire) WINNIPEG, Aug. 6.—Four Liberal premiers of the four western provinces of Canada tonight addressed in the Royal Alexandra hotel an audience of upwards of eight hundred men and women delegates to the convention of western Liberals, which opens its sessions Tuesday morning.

There was little mention of politics in the speeches, which were jocular and reminiscent. Speakers pointed out that never before had the west met together under such circumstances. Ladies present as delegates and visitors were complimented on their interest in their new duties of citizenship.

John Stovel of Winnipeg, chairman of the committee on arrangements, presided, and on the platform, in addition to the premiers, were Senator Watson, Senator Ross, Hon. Frank Oliver, Senator Price, W. E. Knowles, M.P., and Levi Thompson, M.P. Common Purpose—Common Ground.

Hon. T. C. Nairn, premier of Manitoba, declared the present was the first time the four western provinces had gathered for a common purpose.

"We have," he said, "common ground."

Premier Martin, of Saskatchewan, said the west had been compared to the tail of the dog, but the time had

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WAR UNTIL HUNS' DREAM FADES PLAN OF ALLIES

Have Come To Agreement As To Remodelling Of Europe's Map.

(By Morning Bulletin Leased Wire) NEW YORK, Aug. 6.—A news dispatch from Washington today says the allies have come to a full agreement as to the remodelling of Europe's map after the war.

"A sketch, showing the peace aims of these countries, was seen today at one of the allied embassies.

"Taking territory here, straightening lines there, they intend to have such restorations as will tend toward international peace in the future. While Germany disappears as a 'Middle Europe'—Middle Europe, running from the North Sea to Bagdad under Teuton domination—the allies have agreed the war shall go on until this dream vanishes."

"First in the allies' proposals is the restoration of Belgium, France, according to plans, to have Alsace-Lorraine. Constantinople will be internationalized and the Turkish government's grasp in Europe loosened."

"The Gracianic boundary will be shoved northward, while Greece will also get some of the islands near her in the Mediterranean."

"Italy will have Trent and Trieste, some straightening of her northern boundary, and a small slice of territory across the Adriatic. Croatia and Bohemia will be made independent territories, buffer between Germany and Russia."

"It is proposed to divide Austria-Hungary into two states."

"These readjustments are not based upon conquest, but upon determination that peoples shall live in states of their own nationality. The allies do not propose to yield the captured German-African colonies in view of Germany's abuses."

"These terms are allied terms. The United States has not lent itself to any such subjects—let us beat Germany and the lines will then take care of themselves."

FURTHER CREDIT TO ITALY

WASHINGTON, Aug. 6.—A further credit of \$10,000,000 was given to the Italian government by the treasury department today.

F. M. BLACK AND MISS MISIAKS ON FOOD BOARD

Special Committee For Province—J. H. Lamb Returning From Ottawa.

WINNIPEG, Aug. 6.—J. H. Lamb, Alberta's representative in the advisory committee to the Dominion food controller, is in Winnipeg on his way home from the conference at Ottawa. He will probably give a full report at the meeting called by the consumers' league to consider the question of food conservation next week.

Mr. Lamb has been asked to furnish the central office with a mass of information on local conditions affecting food production and conservation.

It is also understood that a committee on food, nutrition and public health for this province has been named, consisting of F. M. Black, Edmonton; E. J. Frean, of the U. F. A.; President Marnoch, Lethbridge board of trade, and Miss McIsaac, Edmonton.

U. S. WAR TAX BILL

WASHINGTON, Aug. 6.—The tax bill finally revised to meet latest estimates was favorably reported to-day by the senate finance committee. It proposes to raise \$2,000,700,000 by taxation.

Canadians Close To Huns' Main Defence Works

DUTCH SHIPS KEPT GERMANS SUPPLIED WITH MUNITIONS

Operated From Base In East Indies—Traffic Apparently Has Been Checked.

(By Morning Bulletin Leased Wire)

SAN FRANCISCO, Calif., Aug. 6.—Two ships, supposedly operating from a base somewhere in the Dutch East Indies have supplied the German armies in German East Africa with munitions, according to Carl Raymond Davis, manager of a gold mine in Johannesburg, South Africa, who was here today. One of the vessels returned to Java in a shell-riddled condition.

A sprinkling of British white troops, natives and 30,000 negroes Askaris are conducting the campaign against the Germans in their East African campaign, said Davis. The force is commanded by the Boer general, Van de Venter. Fever has taken a great toll among white troops operating in the region and fifty percent of them were compelled to withdraw to coast cities, according to Davis.

FRENCH UNITED IN EFFORT TO CRUSH HUNS

Enter Upon Fourth Winter War In Fine Moral And Physical Health.

(By Morning Bulletin Leased Wire)

PARIS, Aug. 6.—Louis J. Malvy, French minister of interior, today replied to the request of the Associated Press for a statement outlining his views on the end of the third year of the world war. The minister began by emphasizing the fact which he said sometimes had not been sufficiently realized that it was "the unanimous and concerted effort of every citizen which allows regiments to march on the moving frontier of trenches."

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He said: "The spirit and morale of the army and the civilian population are very keenly in British Columbia by Liberals and Conservatives alike for his political antagonists worked to put him out of office because of his policies and were frequently his friends in private life."

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SOCIAL LEADERS' CONFERENCE OPENS WITH ADDRESSES BY H. A. CRAIG AND PRES. H. W. WOOD

Deputy Minister Deals With Production And Development—Head Of U.F.A. Outlines Aims And Accomplishments Of Farmers Organization In Alberta.

The opening meeting of the Conference for Social leadership, which is being held this week under the auspices of the extension department of the university, was held last night in Convocation Hall with a good attendance. The bulk of the delegates will, however, arrive in the morning. Dean Howes was in the chair and two interesting addresses were delivered, one by H. A. Craig, B.S.A., deputy minister of agriculture, and the other by H. W. Wood, president of the United Farmers of Alberta.

Mr. Craig's subject was "Production as it Affects the Development of the Country." He gave some illuminating figures respecting the crop production of Canada and something about the people who were on the farm, of the west and what they had to do to produce those crops. The speaker referred especially to the lonely lives led by the women on the prairies. One woman had told him recently that she had not seen a railway train for fourteen years and had not left her homestead in a whole month.

Crops to Pay Tax Burden

As a result of the heavy borrowing which individual corporations and municipalities had indulged in, Mr. Craig pointed out, the country was now bearing a tremendous burden of taxation in addition to the war burdens. "We have come to the place where we have got to produce some real wealth," he declared. "I have faith enough in the productivity of the soil to meet this indebtedness, but added, "it is going to take a hard road. But it can be done."

The man who has been to the front, Mr. Craig, had magnificently upheld the credit and reputation of Canada. We at home should keep up the standard of their work. If we send an superior article of produce to the markets of the old country then, and not until then, shall we be able to establish ourselves in those markets.

Canada had established a reputation in Europe for its No. 1 hard wheat for flour, bread, biscuits and articles. When we have established a similar reputation for our butter, our bacon, our mutton and other staples we will be reasonably certain of the future.

Distributed Apples and Butter

The speaker instances cases which had come to his knowledge of produce which had been very far from the necessary standard of excellence. Of apples supposed to be No. 1 in trade which held layers of good Canadian apples on top and of good Canadian stones underneath, and of butter into which boiled potatoes had been incorporated. It had been said, however, that the life and character of a people are reflected in their products. This must be the case with Canada if we wish to permanently establish ourselves.

H. W. Wood's Address

The subject of Mr. Wood's address was "The Organized Farmers and Politics." He said that the objects of the U.F.A. were to deal with conditions for so long time had been satisfactory to the farmers and not with the current political affairs of the country. They had found that great interests were affecting legislation in favor of themselves. The farmers had not the highly developed leadership nor the money to compete with those interests along that line. There only hope was to mobilize the strength of numbers against them.

Mr. Wood traced briefly the history of various organizations in the United States, as a political force, their rise and fall. The difficulties which had led to their downfall, said he, were that these organizations had been inclined to be radical in their principles and declarations but had remained in political organization. The result had been that whenever they did win a temporary supremacy a great mass of unskilled people had attempted to put into effect radical legislation.

In the meantime the opposition parties had maintained their organization and worked their influence. The other side controlled the press and a constant flow of ridicule and criticism, true and untrue, was directed at the reformers. There was also the old spirit of party prejudice in the people which could not be eradicated, to contend against. The result of this ridicule and criticism, as well as pre-judice was that the weaker members of the new party fell away and went back to their old affiliations. The new movement, also had attracted all the discredited, broken down politicians who sought their own advantage.

Democracy a Failure

The greatest difficulty of all was, however, that no democratic country in the world have the people really allowed to rule. We have democracies in theory but in no country of the world have the people taken advantage of their opportunity. They are incapable of ruling. It will always be the case. The power has always been in their hands but they have never used it.

The lack of intelligent citizenship is the reason why the people cannot govern themselves today. Men are well meaning enough, their motives are patriotic enough, but their citizenship is not sufficiently developed to carry on the work of governing the country, with the result that the political parties are in the ascendency.

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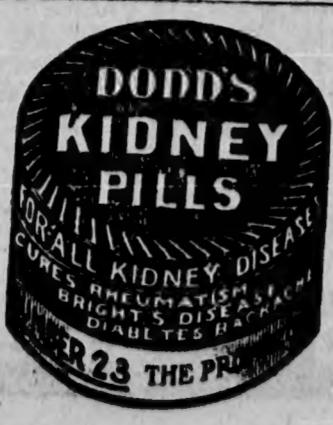
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LIEUT. JAS. PONTON ONCE MORE WOUNDED

Lieut. Jas. Ponton, son of Mr. Douglas Ponton, 32, Nanton, Ontario, nephew of Lt. Col. Ponton, Belleville, has been dangerously wounded. This is the second time this officer has figured in the casualty lists, having been wounded last April at Vimy Ridge. He returned to the firing line about a month ago. Lieut. Ponton joined the 18th Mounted Rifles, a regiment of a private, and took out his commission in England. He went to the front with a British Columbia battalion. He is well known in this city, where he has relatives.

SEGUIN URGES CROWD TO KEEP FROM VIOLENCE

After Passage Of Service Bill By Senate — Rely On Leaders.

MONTREAL, Aug. 6.—Napoleon Seguin, M.L.A. for the district, had a very enthusiastic hearing last night in an audience of Liberals gathered in Maisonneuve street, near St. Catharine street, in the east and of Montreal, when he pleaded with them to refrain from violence after the passage by the senate after third reading of the Military Service bill and to rely upon the leaders. Mr. Seguin was in a minority in favor of the bill, but nothing serious.

All straw is short and should make harvesting easier and quicker.

MUCH BETTER SOUTH THAN REPORTS SAID

A. H. MELLOR, Great North Insurance Co., Experiences On Recent Trip.

(Special to the Bulletin.)
CALGARY, Aug. 6.—The crops are in much better shape than reported, reports A. H. Mellor of the Great North Insurance Co., after an inspection of the country north of Calgary.

While there is some hail loss there is also a percentage of damage from some fly supposed to be "Thrips" which breaks the straw at inch intervals, the second joint. While this damage is about 5 or 10 per cent. in fields where they have attacked yet the crops should average from 18 to 20 bushels per acre.

The best crops are, of course, on summerfallow, and stubble that has not been worked, fall and spring ploughing will be light, but some fields of summerfallow will go from 30 to 40 bushels.

Cutting will be general in from 10 to 15 days and some cutting will be done this week.

The conditions in the south are more favorable since the rain, which will help to fill the grain, and cutting will be general in from 10 to 15 days and should average around 20 bushels.

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E.D. & B.C. STAFF BANQUET TWO EX-COLLEAGUES

Compliment Paid R. M. Halpenny And W. Jackson At The Phoenix Cafe.

Forty members of the staff of the Dunvegan, B.C. Railway gathered at the Phoenix cafe Monday evening to pay their respects in a banquet tendered to two retiring officials of the company, R. M. Halpenny, superintendent, and W. Jackson, assistant chief engineer. Seats of honor were occupied at the head of the table by the two officers, whose toast when proposed by J. D. Murray, was honored in a fashion that demonstrated the regard entertained for them. The other toasts were: "The King," proposed by Mr. Murray who officiated as chairman, in the absence of W. Rathbone Smith, chief engineer; "The Allied Forces," by G. Lomas; "The Ladies," by Bob Pierce, and "The Chairman," by Sam Freeman. Mrs. Louis Scaler presided at the piano and greatly added to the enjoyment of the evening.

DRIVE 25 MILES TO LOCAL MARKET; BIG LOAD IS SOLD

Saturday Trade Shows Increase What Prices Were For Produce.

Saturday's trade at the City Market continues to increase. Several producers propose to come regularly on Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays. The quality and variety of produce increases each week.

Mr. and Mrs. Wakefield came 25 miles from their farm, 6 miles east of Leduc. They arrived at the market at 7:30 a.m. and by 11 had sold out their bunches at 25 cents, eggs at 35 cents and raspberries at 15 cents per pound. Cottage cheese and red radishes were given up.

Their neighbor, Mr. Ives, was some what sleepy for he had been on the road from 1 a.m. to 7:30 a.m., driving 80 miles over roads muddied by recent rains. Though he drove on to the City market at 7:30 a.m. he had to take fifth place for the producers on Saturday flock to the land office like homesteaders at the land office. Mr. Ives has a garden of two acres in which he has twelve rows of beans and twelve rows of beans each, now eighty yards long. He is an old time patrof of the market and fourteen years ago when a hired man, used to sell stuff here for his employer. Now he owns a fine farm of his own.

A blackburn of Leduc sold butter of such quality as to be proud to have the name stamped on the wrapper. French beans from the Edmonton gardens sold at 10 cents for 10 cans. A halfpound from the Maple Leaf gardens weighed four pounds. Nice fresh picked butter-beans sold early in the day. Raspberries were in demand.

A family who came two miles brought nice fresh berries from a family who picked them in a patch about thirty miles from the city. The berries were fresh and nice and sold easily at \$1.00 per pound.

"This is a nice fat chicken, weighing five pounds and freshly killed," said one farmer to a city lady who counted out \$1.25 and carried the chicken home for the Sunday dinner.

A Chinese restaurant-keeper walked away with a whole handful of legs, while he cuddled the armful of birds under his arm. A colored resident earned a quarter for packing on his shoulder a crateful of thirteen chickens bought by a citizen for \$6.00. They were young and the buyer sent them and send them to market later.

A local gardener offered a big five pound cabbage for 15 cents but said he could get 4 cents a pound from the wholesaler.

U-BOAT SCARE AT NEW YORK
NEW YORK, Aug. 6.—A report that a U-boat had been sighted near the Atlantic lanes off this port caused the war department authorities to close the gate in the net protecting the harbor mouth here at 1 o'clock this morning. The gate was opened again at 6 a.m.

LESS THAN 5,000 MEN NEEDED
EDMONTON, Aug. 6.—Less than 5,000 men are needed to complete the quota of all the states for the regular army. Recruits accepted Saturday and Sunday numbered 1,400. Total since April 1 is 179,350, leaving 4,645 to be enlisted. The war strength of the army is 283,000 men.

REGISTERS ARRESTED

MCALISTER, Okla., Aug. 6.—Four alleged draft dodgers were brought from Holdenville today and lodged in the penitentiary pending a hearing. Three others were arrested at Spiro and brought here.

SOCIALIST AMBASSADOR

PARIS, Aug. 6.—Jules Desrael, Socialist deputy from Charleroi, has been appointed Belgian minister at Petrograd.

STILL NO TRACE OF MRS. GILLIS FOUND

In spite of the rain yesterday, which made a search of the woods very unpleasant, the hunt for Mrs. Arthur L. Gillis, the South Side woman who disappeared Saturday, was continued. It was without result, however. It is the opinion of the police that the missing woman is in the river and that her body will be recovered, if at all, far below the city, as the rapid and swollen current would carry it a long distance.

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LABOR DELEGATE CLAIMS THAT DEALERS ARE ATTEMPTING TO CORNER YEAR'S POTATO CROP

Statement Made At Meeting Trades And Labor Council—Farmers Being Offered 40c to 50c A Bushel For Tubers In Ground With A View To Holding-Up Consumers.

"Can we get in touch with the United Farmers, and try to take some steps to prevent this being done?" said Delegate Maxon, at the meeting of the Trades and Labor council, last night, referring to a statement he had just made, that dealers were going round the potato growers at the present time, and offering them 40 to 50 cents per bushel for their crop as it stood in the ground, and expect much of the price," remarked the speaker, "but of the fact that the crop is going to be held up and presently we shall not be able to buy potatoes at less than \$4 per bushel."

J. Davis, of Prince Albert, an official of the Brotherhood of Railroad Clerks, who is a visitor to the city, said the remarks were not correct, but dealers always failed to take action in such matters until too late. They could do a lot by way of co-operative buying, not only in their own cities, but also by buying for unions in other cities. Last year the west could have helped the east by sending them potatoes. But so long as they would not work together in this co-operative manner they deserved to pay the high prices."

Delegate Sifton, of Alberta, and Premier Brewster, of British Columbia, followed with remarks that were very brief and of a general nature. After the meeting broke up the delegates from Manitoba and Saskatchewan met privately in separate rooms to choose their representatives on the resolution committee.

When the delegates from Northern Alberta arrived today, they marched to their hotel carrying the banner, "Laurier for the West." The Alberta delegates held a meeting this afternoon for the selection of their twenty members of the committee on resolutions, and they were elected. Mr. MacKay, attorney general, was chosen as chairman. The speakers included Premier Sifton, Attorney General Cross, Hon. Frank Oliver, Hon. A. G. MacKay, Dr. Michael Clark, W. M. Buchanan, M. P., James Douglas, M. P., Mrs. Knell, of Edmonton, Mrs. W. M. Davidson, of Calgary, and others.

Secretary Farmilo answered that the Dominion Trades congress made a grant of \$100 for this work and that Ald. Kinney was paid from this. The money did not come from the Alberta Federation at all. Some amount was paid to represent the time and work devoted by Ald. Kinney. Mr. Wheatley, the miner's representative, was paid by District 13, and a great deal of the necessary clerical work was done by himself without fee.

Accounts Satisfactory
The auditors, T. Lawson, C. Buxton and R. McCreath, stated the finances of the council were in a satisfactory condition.

Secretary Farmilo said that he had been asked by a man if the trades council would not help in the fight against high prices.

Chairman Findley: We might tell them that we are going to run candidates to the city council this year, and that we are going to ask for an inquiry.

Delegates Bells said that the men in the west end had the opportunity of getting high prices, probably about a dollar at 20 and 25 cents per bushel, until the packing houses came along, and then the price immediately dropped to 30 cents.

It was finally arranged that Chairman Findley and Secretary Farmilo should attend the meeting of the Consumers' league as representatives of the Trades and Labor council.

Delegates to Congress
A committee consisting of Chairman Findley, Secretary Farmilo, Delegates Bells, Buxton and Lawson was appointed to visit the seventeen local councils affiliated with the council and ascertain if they wished the council to be represented at the Trades and Labor congress in September, and if so were they willing to contribute to the expense of a delegate, which it was stated would be from \$25 to \$250 and would mean a call on from \$10 to \$15 per local council.

The resolution was that the council, owing to the expense should not send a delegate, but it was pointed out that the council paid for affiliation to the congress and it was the only chance of a voice in its affairs. It was also pointed out that this year congress was going to be more important than perhaps it had been for some time.

UNITED GRAIN GROWERS
When the United Grain Growers, which is the only unit under which the Alberta Farmers and the Grain Growers will operate after September 1, starts receiving the new season's crop they will have in this province 114 elevators, several of them being new houses which have been built or are in the course of completion. The success of the Alberta movement has created a spirit of enterprise which includes matters relating to the interests of both labor and returned veterans, after they had been separately endorsed by the respective associations, would be forwarded to other Trades councils and Returned Veterans' associations, and then sent to the Trades congress by congress and the Returned Veterans' executive at Ottawa.

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RAIN CANCELLED MASONIC SPORTS

As a result of the rain yesterday the Masonic sports at Alberta beach were cancelled. A few members of the order were found in the 250 people who took the beach at the Alberta Beach line, but the great majority of travellers were either commercial men or campers with permanent summer homes in the lake district. A small party of brave holiday-makers availed themselves of the 1:30 beach train.

The business sessions of the convention due to open at 10 a.m. today closed Tuesday morning and to continue for two days. The resolutions committee will be organized during the day and will report on Tuesday on the resolutions brought before it.

FOUGHT TO DEATH TO HOLD BACK GERMANS

(By Morning Bulletin Leased Wire)
BRITISH FRONT IN FRANCE
Aug. 6.—(Via London, Aug. 6)—Certain of the Lancashire troops pushed beyond the specified limits of the recent advance in Flanders and established posts. A message announcing the existence of these posts reached headquarters three days later. Illustrating the difficulty of communication in such an advance is this story of a withdrawal on a point under counter attack. To cover the withdrawal a party of 150 men was posted in the

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PERSONALS, MEETINGS, CLUB ACTIVITIES, WEDDINGS AND SOCIAL EVENTS

The Daily Poem

SHADOWS

I am here all alone by the fireside;
Around me the dark shadows dance.

I wonder what shadows are
Waiting on you in the war-caverned fields of far France.

Hon. Arthur L. and Mrs. Sifton are registered at the Fort Garry, Winnipeg.

Hon. C. W. Cross is spending a short time in Winnipeg, a guest at the Fort Garry.

Mrs. Hugh Campbell and Master Rovden registered at the Fort Garry last Friday.

Miss Helen Taft, daughter of former President Taft has been chosen a member of Bryn Mawr college.

Mr. and Mrs. P. A. Stevenson spent Friday in Calgary en route to Banff.

Mr. and Mrs. S. N. Terrill are visiting friends in Calgary.

His Honor Lieut. Gov. Brett spent Saturday in Calgary en route to Banff. Mrs. MacKay, wife of the late Doctor MacKay, and Miss Ethel MacKay will visit Archbishop and Mrs. Matheson, Bishopscourt, St. Johns, Winnipeg, this week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. S. Sells of this city are registered at the Fort Garry, Winnipeg.

Captain and Mrs. Harvey and Mr. Wm. McMullen of Edmonton are registered at the Royal Alexandra, Winnipeg.

The Duchess of Portland has bought a large house and grounds in Nottingham for a Nottinghamshire residence in the war. This saves the relatives their journey to the Star and Garter home at Richmond, where all these men have been placed.

Mrs. Dear and Miss Nellie Dear are spending their holidays at Alberta Beach. Mr. Dear and Miss Connie were out for the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. James Scott have been the guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Pickard at Gulf Lake and had a delightful visit at the cottage.

Miss Claire Harkin is spending her holidays in Regina, the guest of her sister, Mrs. Russell W. Speers.

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IN THE MATTER OF THE COURT OF CONFIRMATION OF THE TAX EXEMPTIONS FOR THE RETURN OF THE TOWN OF BEVERLY, ALBERTA.

TAKE NOTICE that His Honor Judge Morrison, Judge of the District Court of the District of Athabasca, at the meetings of the Court, Friday, the 31st day of August, 1917, at 10 a.m., confirm the Tax Enforcement Return of the Town of Beverly.

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FORECAST
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Saskatchewan and Alberta—A few scattered showers, but mostly fair today and on Tuesday.

Tuesday August 8.
3 a.m. 49 above
5:30 a.m. 50 above
8 a.m. 51 above
10 a.m. 50 above
12 noon 50 above
3 p.m. 48 above
11 p.m. 46 above
1 a.m. 44 above
Approximate.

Sun rises Wednesday 5.00
Sun sets Wednesday 5.00

Emerton, cloudy 48
Lethbridge, clear 45
Swift Current, fair 45
Dugald, cloudy 42
Prince Albert, fair 40
Vegreville, cloudy 44
Port Arthur, clear 42
Calgary, fair 46
Medicine Hat, fair 42
Moose Jaw, cloudy 38
Assiniboia, cloudy 46
Battleford, fair 47
Winnipeg, clear 48

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Announcement of meetings (fraternal, religious, etc.), recitals and social gatherings at which no admission fee is charged, collection taken or given, may be inserted under this heading free of charge. Readers are invited to send to the Office or Phone the News Editor, No. 938 Jasper Avenue, announcement of this nature. Announcements of meetings, etc., at which an admission fee is charged, collection taken or articles sold, will be inserted at 10 cents per count line.

The Great War Veterans are holding the first of a series of dances on Tuesday night, August 7th, in their club rooms. Everybody welcome. Barker's bell orchestra in attendance. 8322-1881

Commercial Lodge No. 81, A. F. and A. will hold their annual basket picnic to Alberta Beach on Saturday, August 11th. Members will please note this change of date.

Dr. Malcolmson's class in home nursing will meet on Tuesday evening, August 7th, instead of Monday, on account of the civic holiday.

Commencing Monday, July 23rd, the Argonaut Social Club will hold dances every Monday, Wednesday and Saturday evenings in the Albion Hall. Dancing from 8.30 to 12. 5079-1f

Sullivan's Academy of Dancing Club is holding refined dances Monday and Friday nights in the Academy hall, corner Isabella and Fraser avenue. Pepin's five-piece orchestra. Large electric fans in use. The coolest place in the city.

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Dr. Chas. A. Raver, dentist, 610 McLeod Building. Telephone 6746.

Dr. W. H. Albright, Osteopath, 10516 Jasper Avenue. Phone 4542.

CROWDED CARS NOT PUBLIC'S BUSINESS, SAYS PRIVY COUNCIL

London, Aug. 6.—The Privy Council has allowed the appeal of the Toronto Railways, King and the Dominion attorney-general regarding alleged overcrowding of tramway cars. In the judgment their lordships declare: "The obligation of appellants was a contractual obligation to the corporation. There was no duty to the public generally. These cars were on the streets derogatory to public right with the Ontario legislature and the Toronto corporation had thought it advantageous to interfere with. The cars were not less thereby the property of appellants, which the public could only enter by invitation. Whatever were the conditions in the grant of the appellants title the corporation had obtained. That they obtained herself between them and the appellants. Overcrowding was not a matter that affected the public, as such, but only those members of the public who had obtained from the appellants license to enter the cars."

ST. PAUL LIVE STOCK

SOUTH ST. PAUL, Minn. Aug. 6.—Receipts at the stock yards today totalled 1,100 cattle and 680 hogs. Cattle steady and fairly steady on all grades of stuff, prices were also steady but an easier feeling prevails in the cattle pens but look for a decided drop at the end of the week if the runs keep on. Local packers took 22 cars of stock today.

Hogs remained steady at 15.45, but there was a slight feeling. Twenty-nine cars of hogs arrived on through billings to eastern points.

CHICAGO LIVE STOCK

CHICAGO, Aug. 6.—Hogs—Receipts 31,000; bulk 15.45 to 16.50; weight 14.85 to 16.45; mixed 15.00 to 16.50; heavy, 14.80 to 16.00; rough 14.80 to 15.00; pigs 11.25 to 14.25.

Sheep—Receipts 12,000; weak. Weathers 7.50 to 10.00; ewes 6.75 to 9.00; lambs 9.25 to 14.40.

ST. PAUL LIVESTOCK

SOUTH ST. PAUL, Minn. Aug. 6.—Hogs—Receipts 14.50 to 15.50; cattle 15.10 to 15.25.

Cattle, receipts 6,000; killers steady and strong; steers 5.00 to 12.00; cows and heifers 4.00 to 9.00; calves steady 4.00 to 11.25; steers and feeders, 25 to 50; hoggers 7.00 to 7.50.

Sheep—Receipts 165; steady; lambs 6.00 to 12.00; weathers 9.00 to 9.50; ewes 5.00 to 6.50.

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Pork, Ham, Bacon, 25c quart bottle.

Duck eggs, 60c dozen.

Fish.

White Fish, 10c per lb.

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Pickeral, 8c per lb.

Perch, 12c per lb.

Trout, 25c per lb.

Loin Beef, 22c per lb.

Round Steak, 20c per lb.

Beef, 18c per lb.

Boiling, 15c per lb.

Shoulder Beef, 16c per lb.

Veal Leg, 20c per lb.

Veal Shoulder, 20c per lb.

Dressed Chicken, 25c in 25c per lb.

Dressed Fowl, 25c per lb.

Vegetables.

New potatoes, 6 to 7 lbs. for 25c.

New potatoes, 6 to \$1.75 per bushel.

Rhubarb, 25c per lb.

Turnips, 25c lb.

Spinach, 3c to 3 for 10c.

Carrots, 3c to 3 for 10c.

Green onions, 3 bunches for 10c.

Lettuce, 10c per bunch.

Radish, 3 bunches for 10c.

Swiss Chard, 3 bunches for 10c.

Kohlrabi, 2c to 10c each.

Carrots, 3c to 50c per bunch.

Broccoli, 25c per bunch.

Mint, 5c bunch.

French Peas, 3 lbs. 10c.

Beets, 2 lbs. 10c.

Cucumbers, 10c to 25c each.

Cabbage, 5c to 10c head, 5 lbs.

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TUESDAY, AUGUST 7, 1917.

The intimation that Sir Robert Borden is to be supplanted by Sir Clifford Sifton, may explain why the Canadian High Commissionership has been left vacant.

Food control might get along faster if Mr. Hanna would stop talking at the public, who are more or less helpless, and do some talking to the profiteers, who largely decide what people shall be allowed to eat.

Regardless of the much talked of party true the Government has duly filled the senate vacancies with party friends. It is one thing to postpone bye-elections for the House of Commons when the prospect is that they would go wrong, and quite another thing to leave Senate vacancies to be filled after a general election which is also likely to go wrong.

Settlers are continuing to go into the north country at a rate that would be highly satisfactory even in normal times, and which in time of war and food shortage is proportionately fortunate. They are going to a country whose worth has been proven, where industry and perseverance will win a large reward for the settler and contribute to the strength of the nation. May their hopes be all fulfilled, and their numbers increase.

A treaty has been arranged which provides for the mitigation of the mistreatment of prisoners of war in Germany. The arrangement seems to be that officers taken prisoner up to the end of 1915 are to be transferred to Switzerland or Holland and interned there. A much larger number will be affected by another provision, which requires that all reprisals in the treatment of prisoners of war shall be abolished. A treaty signed by the Berlin authorities is not a safe base upon which to build many hopes, but with the number of German prisoners in the hands of the Allies it may be hoped that this particular convention will be treated with some reasonable degree of respect.

The Toronto Globe says: "People do not want to wake up some morning and find that overnight a Cabinet has been foisted on the country whose members, or some of them, are open to the suspicion of being the pawns of powerful interests which have been long a sinister influence in Canadian politics." That is very true. But from the present aspect of things that is precisely what is likely to happen. The movement for a coalition Government may have originated with people who were simply desirous of securing a more efficient and non-partisan administration of affairs as a necessity to the exertion of the country's utmost strength in the war. But it has been apparently captured by the Big Interests, and is being utilized by them as a means of securing control of the Government for another five years. The disclosure of the scheme to supplant Sir Robert Borden by an ex-Liberal who was foremost in the fight against reciprocity settles the present status of the coalition movement. It may have begun as a win-the-war scheme, but it has been diverted into a work-the-war device on the part of the profiteering fraternity.

To save food now means more food and cheaper food next winter.

The disclosure of the plans of the Big Interests to retire Sir Robert Borden and to make Sir Clifford Sifton head of a coalition Government fixes the issue in the coming election. That issue is not conscription; it is the privilege to plunder the public by statutory authority.

Six years ago those who stood to profit by the defeat of reciprocity banded together, Liberals and Conservatives alike, and by supplementing the race campaign in Quebec with a flag-flapping campaign in Ontario succeeded in putting Sir Robert Borden and his associates in power. For the ensuing six years the Interests have dictated the policy of the Government in all matters relating to tariff and trade, with single regard to filling their own purses at the expense of the public. That they have done it successfully is not open to question. The war, which brought sacrifice to others, brought gain to them. Under pretense of raising a revenue to meet the cost of the war the tariff was boosted and the increased hardship imposed upon the people brought more money to the Interests than it did to the public treasury. Through the Shell Committee appointed by the Ministers they had created they robbed the British tax-payers as mercilessly as the Huns robbed the Belgians until Lloyd George refused to stand for it any longer and put the Shell Committee out of business. They have profiteered the public for food, for clothing, for implements, for anything and everything that could be made the medium for price-manipulation, under protection of an acquiescent Government. And for three years they have enjoyed complete immunity in the carnival of spoliation. Not until an election was in sight did the High Cost of Living Commission make a report, and the report was not printed and circulated until the Government had appointed another investigating body to prove that the figures in this report were wrong. Not until last week did the Minister of Finance accede to the public demand for a tax upon incomes, and even in doing so he was careful to assure the Big Interests that he only introduced the measure because he was afraid to refuse, and to inform them that if they paid the income tax they would be excused the already existing business tax.

Naturally, the Interests are not disposed to let go so profitable a side line as running the Government of the country if they can hang on to it. For them there is more money in politics than there is in business. Accordingly they propose to stay in politics, as the power behind the Government. But the present ministry has made such a wholesale bungle of things that it stood no chance of getting re-elected on its record. Some new issue had to be created or the Interests were done. Conscription was decided upon as most likely to prove disconcerting to the Opposition and to afford chances of gathering support. The bill was carefully drawn so that the power to exempt would reside in local tribunals. These local tribunals would, of course, be under the influence of the sentiment prevailing in the locality, or afraid to challenge it. In the vicinity of the munition factories and the industrial establishments they could be counted on to excuse everybody who was wanted, or might be wanted, to work for the interested ones. In Quebec the Nationalist wing could truthfully tell their supporters that there would be no conscription for them unless a tribunal composed of themselves said so. And in the provinces where conscription sentiment was strong the electors could be told that they were being given just what they had asked for. The bill could thus be made the basis for a "win the war" propaganda which would hide the financial purposes of its authors and give the best available chance to win. But it was doubtful whether, even on the fake conscription bill, Sir Robert Borden could carry the country. Therefore it has been decided to depose him and to make Sir Clifford Sifton head of the Government. Mr. Sifton was the most effective speaker and organizer of the anti-reciprocity forces six years ago. He is aggressively protectionist. He is undoubtedly talented. If he cannot win for them the Big Interests are "through." Whether they win depends on whether the public will allow themselves to be fooled by the pretense that it is winning the war, as everybody else does. If we do not win they will be plundered by the Huns. But they have no doubt about the war being won anyway; and their primary purpose is to work the war" for all it is worth.

as a means of keeping control of the governing power and thus of the power to plunder the public.

Current Comment
Borden Must Go.
From Regina Leader.

Before Canada will be ready to take effective action to win the war, its people must have leaders and leaders in whom they can repose confidence. Therefore, Borden and his Big Interests cabinet must go.

Due to Bad Management
From the Saskatoon Phoenix.
The apparent necessity which exists for conscription at the present time is largely, if not entirely, due to the bad management which was exercised over Canadian military and civil affairs during the period of war. The lack of confidence which has been created by this prolonged mismanagement will not easily overcome. There are the same difficulties to the calls for men under present conditions which there would be if we had been and were even now being justly ruled by an administration which was living above the plane of that partisanship which has marked the Borden government from its inception.

Influence Still Exists
From the Saskatoon Phoenix.
Any criticism of what Quebec has done or failed to do for the war should never overlook the evil effect of the Conservative-Nationalist Alliance which began with the Drummond-Arthabasca election in 1913 and which still exists.

This should have been no doubt in the minds of the loyal Conservative leaders about what the principles of the Nationalists were. There were four articles in the Nationalist platform which are worth reprinting as follows:

(a) No participation by Canada in imperial wars outside her territory.

(b) to spurn any attempt at recruiting for British troops.

(c) To oppose the establishment in Canada of a naval school with the help and aid of the British government.

(d) Control over our militia and military colleges in time of war as in time of peace and for the defense of our territory exclusively. Refusal to grant leave of absence to any militia officer in order that he may take part in any imperial war.

Conscription and Farm Labor
From Western Correspondence Canadian Farm, Toronto.

Winnipeg, July 14.—Whether or not the deficit of farm laborers in Western Canada will be rendered more acute as a result of the putting into force of the conscription policy is a question which is not being discussed by many agricultural bodies in the prairie provinces. What the effect will be has been the subject of much speculation, but there is no disposition to murmur in the agricultural west.

Whatever the verdict is of the powers that be, the various bodies of grain growers will continue to offer every co-operation.

Assuming that the new law is aimed primarily to bring the youthful slackers into the ranks, however, the west will prove to be very poor picking. Many thousands of deserted homes, steeds and multitudes of half manned farms are scattered over the land in the west. The spirit of the Empire and the ideals for which Great Britain is fighting are scarcely any unmarrred men left and thousands of those who have had family obligations have also donned the khaki. Conscription, it would seem, if it only applied to the younger unmarried men, will have comparatively little effect upon production, for the youth of the west is for the most part overseas at the present time.

This situation is reflected in the official recruiting figures which show that it stands the east needs 33,889 men to complete its share of Canada's promised army of 500,000, the west has contributed 22,886 more than its share, according to the government returns. An army of half a million men is approximately 13 per cent of the male population, according to the last census reports, so this basis of the number of men required and those recruited may be shown as follows:

Eastern Canada
Required Recruited
Ontario 163,409 177,283
Quebec 131,462 46,534
Maritimes 62,131 39,299
Total 357,005 263,116

Manitoba, etc. 75,930 83,497
British Columbia 32,710 41,249
Alberta 29,118 35,897
Total 137,758 160,643

The possibilities of the west not only as an asset to the British Empire in war time, but to the world as a field of production almost beggars the imagination. For instance, though the world's consumption of white flour is estimated by statisticians to be increasing at the rate of one hundred million bushels per year, Western Canada has enough good land still uncultivated to provide for this increase for over 40 years. Some European countries have the equivalent in white flour of over seven hundred million bushels per year, while the United States uses almost five and a half and Canada about six. Last year Western Canada produced about 235,000,000 bushels of wheat for about 15,000,000 acres, which is scarcely more than 12 per cent of the total area of land that even with the incomplete surveys which have been made, is known to be good cultivable land available for settlement.

The Coming Election
From the Calgary News-Telegram:

The extension of Parliament bill has been dropped, and we are likely to have a general election. It is, however, too early to make predictions. Either this is going to be a wide-open election with a half dozen parties or the Conservative party and the conscriptionist Liberals. In the latter case the cards are likely to be so "loaded" against them that the people of Canada will have little or no scope to express their real sentiments. But with a sudden change in the political situation, which might come almost any day, well, who knows? SOME election. Hundreds of thousands of people in this country, in our belief, are hiding their real opinions because they do not want to be understood as favoring anything that might detract from the effort that Canada is expected to put forth in assisting to win the war. But, when that war is over—Wow! Wow! There will be no hard times.

Winning the War in Ottawa
From the Ottawa Citizen:

Editor, Citizen: Would it not be a good thing for the Militia Department to put a stop to "Joy riding" in their motor cars. Every second car in the afternoon and evening is being used by friends of the department. Before the arrival of the departmental wagons now, the ride, the do, the friends. Why should this country's motor cars be used for this unnecessary and expensive upkeep of cars and chauffeurs when the cry is "more money and more men." One can see these cars and men standing all day—when not

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Disfranchising Aliens
From the Ottawa Citizen:

In referring to the proposal to disfranchise voters of alien birth in this country, Mr. Meighen, solicitor general, declared that the alien voters, probably disloyal at heart, would vote against the government twice, infidelity to the government while the opposition was inclined to pander to the enemy. This flagrant appeal to prejudice and worse was couched in the following terms:

"And my honorable friend makes an appeal against the disfranchisement of several hundred thousand alien enemy citizens living in this country. Is there any significance to be attached to this appeal made by the leader of the opposition at this time?" Is it because he feels that these men of enemy extraction are probably those upon whom he can best rely in the position he takes toward the war policy of Canada?" One need not profess the gift of prophecy to foretell the proposed tactics of the government at the coming election.

Cambrai and Marne

Before our trenches at Cambrai
We saw their columns cringe away.
We saw their masses melt and reel
Before our line of leaping steel.

A handful to their storming hordes,
We scourged them with the scourge
of swords,
And still, the more we slew, the more
Came up for every slain a score.

Between the hedges and the town
Their cursing buglers we rode down.
To stay them we spouted our blood
Between the beetles and the wood: the wood;

In that red hell of shrieking shell
Unfaltering our gunners fell:
They fall, or ere that day was done,
Beside the last unshattered gun.

But still we held them, like a wall
On which the breakers vainly fall—
Till came the word, and we fled.
Reluctant, bleeding, undismayed.

Our feet, astonished, learned retreat.
Our souls rejected, still, defeat.
Unbroken still, lion at bay,
We drew back grimly from Cambrai.

In blood and sweat, with slaughter spent,
They thought us beaten as we went.
Till suddenly we turned, and smote
The shout of triumph in their throat.

At last, at last we turned and stood—
Marne's fair water ran with blood.
We stood by trench, steel and gun,
For now the indignant flight was done.

We ploughed their shaken ranks with fire.
We trod their masses into mire.
Our sabres drove through their retreat
As drives the whirlwind through young wheat.

At last, at last we drove them back
Along their drenched and smoking track.
We hurled them back, in blood and flame,
The reeking ways by which they came.

Byumbered road and desperate ford
How fed their shamed and harassed horse!
Shout, Sons of Freedom, for the day
When Marne so well avenged Cambrai—
Capt. Chas. G. D. Roberts.

Natural Request

For over two weeks the small boy has howled, and the other occupants were getting tired of it. "Oh, dear," moaned the young mother distractingly. "I really don't know what to do with the child." A sudden gleam of hope shone in the eyes of the old bachelor opposite. "Shall I open the window for you, madam?" he inquired politely.

A high school girl recently enquired of a librarian: "Have you a book on 'American Education in the Twelfth Century'?"—Christian Register.

The Waste of War
is terrible, but the waste of food in times of peace is colossal. Rich and poor alike eat tons of food that has little food value—and this useless food breaks down the so-called eliminating organs and depletes the physical and mental powers.

Shredded Wheat Biscuit is all food, prepared by a process which makes every particle thoroughly digested. It is 100 per cent. whole wheat. Two or three of these Biscuits with milk, make a nourishing meal, supplying the greatest amount of energy at lowest cost. Delicious with sliced bananas, berries or other fruits.

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ANSWERS

This department does not pretend to be infallible. It will endeavor, however, to give full satisfaction to its readers of The Bulletin to the best of its ability, reserving the right to ignore all that are trifling or irrelevant, or which are purely speculative.

To receive attention, every inquiry must bear the name and address of the questioner. This information is not withheld for publication, but as evidence of good faith.

How Far Under?

To the Bulletin: Can U-boats submerge to the bottom of the ocean or is there a limit to which they can sink with safety? V. S.

Pressure of deep water puts a limit on the depth to which a submarine can sink with safety. The Germans are said to have perfected a submarine that can descend and travel 200 feet under water.

The Junkers.

To the Bulletin: What is a Junker? F. G. H.

Junker is a German word, pronounced "Yunker," derived from the word meaning "youngster" or "young lord." A Junker is a member of the exclusive, aristocratic and militaristic party in Prussia.

Falcon in the War.

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Branch Agencies For Bulletin Wants Ads.

For your convenience arrangements have been made with the following merchants to accept classified advertisements for the Edmonton Bulletin.

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D. St. John, 8018 11th Avenue.

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Health's All Cash Store, 8014 and 11th Avenue.

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Mitchell Pharmacy, 10789 9th Street.

Thompson Drug Co., 10801 with Street.

MUHLANDS.

Young's Store, 8014 11th Avenue.

Field's Highland Cash Store, Glendale Bldg.

JASPER AVENUE.

B. D. Lynch, Grocer, 10740 Jasper W.

West End Grocery, 11641 Jasper West.

WESB's News.

R. P. Barrett, Corsets, Steamer Plain and 127th Street.

Wing's Drug Store, 10600 124th Street.

Englewood General Store, 11017 127th Street.

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Tipton Investment Company, Limited, 10420 White Avenue.

Personal.

DO YOU KNOW THAT WE CAN MAKE like new broken glass, castings or broken like Auto-geneous Welding? Presto! Recharging plant in connection. Darling Auto Light Co., 9320 1st Avenue. D-4-2

LADY 20, OWNED ESTATE AND personal worth \$10,000. Would make good terms of her services in finding a mate. 249 N. Coronado St. 8025 1st Avenue, Cal.

MRS. HULETT PAYS THE BEST CASH price for discarded clothing of gents, ladies and children's clothing. 9720 Jasper Ave. Phone 1816.

DON'T GET SORE—LET US DO YOUR cleaning, pressing, repairing and dyeing. Phone Pressurium, 11629, Alberta and Kirkness.

ALWAYS KING OF 8222—NIGHT 7122 MRS. WHITEHEAD PAYS BEST PRICES for ladies', gents' and children's discarded clothing, boots, etc. 8122 Jasper East. Phone 1816.

HAIR GOODS, SWITCHES, WIGS, Tapes, in stock or made to order. Phone 1478, 19014 12nd St. B-2-1

HOUSES RAISED AND MOVED, LICENSED house mover. Estimates given. Phone 8122.

AMERICAN STAMPS FOR SALE, APPLY Bulletin Office.

EMPIRE SECOND-HAND STORE, HIGH-est prices paid for everything. 7814 1st Street. Phone 2366. E-6-x

Found

FOUND—BLACK MARE WITH WHITE star hair, white face and part of stiff tail, gelding, white face and part of stiff tail. Informed to Edmonton City Dairy, or J. H. Morris, Phone 8100 Rural.

LOST—2 YEAR OLD DRAFT COLT (FILLY), light bay, white star and strip in forehead (draft). Reward. Phone R-3002.

Help Wanted—Male

WANTED—MAN AND WIFE FOR FARM: man must be good horseman, wife help in house few hours a day. Separate address. Albert L. Brown, R. R. No. 2, Excel, Alta. 9339-193d

WANTED—FOR GENERAL FARM WORK bushing and clearing land. H. M. Neary, Yale Hotel, Edmonton or Ben Acord, Alta. Phone R-304.

MAN AND WIFE WANTED TO OPERATE 12 stock lunch counter close to Edmonton, one of the party must be good cook and understand short work. Apply Logan's Employment Bureau, 8249-185p

CAPABLE YOUNG MAN WITH BOOKKEEPING experience wanted for office position with large manufacturing concern. State age, experience and salary required to Box, St. Bulletin. 8237-186c

WANTED A CLERK FOR GROCERY and dry goods store in collery village in mountains. Apply 301 Teiger Building.

WANTED—A TAXI DRIVER, NOT YOUNG to ride riding; highest wages. Apply 10032 Jasper Avenue. R-8-x

WANTED—DRIVER FOR MILK Wagon today. Apply Woodland Dairy. 8229-186c

WANTED—EXPERIENCED BAILESMAN for dress goods department. 8229-186c Johnston-Walker, Ltd.

WANTED—COOK FOR SMALL SURVEY party. Apply at Cecil Hotel, Jasper morning. 8308-186p

WANTED—MALE COAT MAKER AND girl pant maker. 9616 Jasper Ave. 8227-186c

MACHINIST WANTED—MCHOLS BROS. 10108 16th St. 8287-187c

BOY WANTED TO LEARN A TRADE. Apply Campbell's Bakery. 8310-189c

Situations Wanted—Male

SEPARATOR MAN AND STEAM ENGINEER, both open for engagement. Threshing: twelve season's experience. Address: R. Winters, 617 8th Ave. East, Vancouver, B. C. 8237-186p

WANTED BY YOUNG MAN, AGED 20, highly educated, high class. This position requires considerable experience. Apply replies, stating wages offered, to Box 75 Bulletin. 8211-186p

LIGHT WORK IN STORE OR HOTEL or night watch wanted by middle aged man. Box 19 Bulletin. 8267-186p

ODD JOBS OF ANY KIND, CARPET cleaning, garden fixing, etc. Prompt service. Phone 81710.

ACTION STEAM ENGINEER — Job wanted for the fall threshing. State wages in first letter to Box 51, Bulletin. 8291-187c

Help Wanted—Female

LONELY BACHELOR WANTS WIDOW WITH children or sisterly lad for company, and to cook for same. Good wages paid. Box 125 Bulletin. 8238-186p

WANTED—A NURSE FOR A SMALL private hospital, Bow Island. Apply Miss Stater, Sup't. 8234-186c

WANTED—A MIDDLE-AGED HOUSE keeper for family of two. Apply Box 3204 10th Ave.

WANTED—A COMPETENT WOMAN FOR general house work. Phone 72300. Wage \$25.00 per month. 8251-186c

WANTED—WET NURSE FOR BABY 3 months old, 10588 102nd street. 8223-186p

Situations Wanted—Female

SOLDIER'S WIDOW, MIDDLE AGE, wants position as housekeeper or any place of trust. Apply Box 1 Bulletin. 8335-186c

MATERNITY NURSE OPEN FOR ENGAGEMENT. Terms reasonable. Phone 3068. 8231-186c

Employment Agencies

BUSY BE DEEMPLOYMENT AGENCY HAS a Laundry for rent in a first-class town in Alberta. Phone 4134. B-2x

O. HANSON & CO., EMPLOYMENT Agency, C.P.R. Labor Agents. All kinds of help furnished on shortest notice. Satisfaction guaranteed. 101358 101st Street. Phone 4222.

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Teachers Wanted

WANTED—TEACHER FOR SOMERVILLE S. D. NO. 1000. Duties to commence September 1. Apply forwarding references and grade of certificates to Chris. Wilson, Secretary-Treasurer, Instructional Board, 1000 10th Street.

STETTLER S. D. 1478. REQUIRES MALE teacher for grades VII and VIII. Salary \$720 per year. Also, a junior teacher to teach English and History, also Junior mathematics or science in High school. State salary, references. Address Secretary-Treasurer S. D. 1478, Stettler, Alta.

TEACHER—WANTED FOR BON ACAD. S. D. NO. 1448. Duties to commence August 1. Salary \$700.00. Duties offered \$900.00. Duties to commence August 13th. Phone, collect, to R. 214, James George, Bon Accord. 8317-186p

WANTED—A TEACHER HOLDING SECOND class certificate to teach the coming year in the town school. Salary \$720 per year. Address: Mrs. Mary S. S. Secretary, Stettler, Alta. 8233-186c

TEACHER—WANTED—A QUALIFIED ready teacher for Junior room, North S.D. 1003, duties to commence August 1. Salary \$700.00 per year, if first class, otherwise \$650.00. Apply to P. R. Rouillard, Secretary-Treasurer, Lac La Biche Sta., Alta. 8324-186c

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DR. AMYOT, PHYSICIAN & SURGEON, Midwife, Diseases of Women. Office: Room 2 Bradburn-Thomson Building, 10th Street Jasper Avenue, Suite 210. Tel. 2100. Telephone 10th Street 2000. Consultations by appointment. Medical practice. Specialties: Midwifery, diseases laboratory. Office and residence, 10th Street Jasper, near Post Office. Phone 1002. B-2-2.

BOYLE, JAS. P. M.D., L.R.C.P. & S. (Edinburgh), F.F.M.R. (London). 10th Street Jasper Block. Telephone 1012. Residence: 1002 10th Street. Tel. 2100. B-2-2.

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CECIL V. HOLMES, M.D., OFFICE AND RESIDENCE, 1002 10th Street. Phone 1002. Office hours, 1 to 4 p.m., and by appointment. B-2-2.

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CLARENCE DEMAR WINS MARATHON

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CANNOT BE AVOIDED

HAMILTON, Ont., Aug. 5.—That an early election cannot be avoided is the opinion of T. J. Stewart, M.P., upon his return here Saturday from Ottawa. He still hopes that arrangements may be made that will bring about a union government.

CITY PROPERTY FOR SALE BY PRIVATE TENDER

Pursuant to the Order of the Registrar of Land Titles, the following lands are offered for Sale by private tender:

Lot 32 Black 9, R.R. 12 and 14, Plan "Edmonton". The property is known as 9544 109th Avenue, and situated thereon there is a substantial frame dwelling.

For further particulars apply to Parise, Freeman, Abbott & MacKay, Solicitors for the Vendor.

STOLE THIRD WITH BASES FULL—IT PAID

Stealing third with the bases full is another way for a baseball player to show his mental incapacity, at least that seems to be the general rule. It has remained, however, for McKee of the Pacific Coast team to prove the fallacy of the game of the Scottish Caledonian club.

Demar covered the distance of 13 1-4 miles in one hour, thirty-one minutes and thirty-three seconds.

Carl Lunder, of Quincy, finished second; Arthur Roth, of Boston third, and Victor McAuley, the Canadian, who won the event last year, was fourth.

ST. LOUIS BEAT SHERIFF'S SALE

Under and by virtue of a Distress Warrant given by Angus Roderick Chisholm to J. M. Thom, Sheriff, and the materials of Dr. Joseph Boulangier and Dr. Henri Lasnier, named in the said Distress Warrant, I have seized the following goods, namely, Des, Swivel Chair, Arm Chairs, Linoleum, X-Ray Machine, Wire Basket, Electric Machine, Table Chairs, Cupboards, Bedding, Table and Mattress, Bedding, Operating Table, Settee, Electric Battery, etc., which I shall expose for sale on Tuesday, the 7th day of August, 1917, at 1st Floor, Chisholm Block, Jasper Avenue West, Edmonton, Alta., at the hour of 2:30 p.m.

J. M. THOM, Sheriff.

Dated July 24th, 1917.

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Leave Edmonton 8:45 p.m.; returning leave Beach 10:00 p.m.

FARE 50c

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What's What in the World of Sport

By Briggs

POP GEERS WINS BIG STAKE ON HOBBLED RACER

—BUT HE ONLY PLAYED THE NINETEENTH HOLE



In The Big Leagues

National League

	W.	L.	Pct.
New York	61	31	.653
Cincinnati	55	52	.514
St. Louis	54	47	.524
Philadelphia	50	42	.545
Chicago	51	52	.495
Brooklyn	48	49	.495
Boston	41	52	.428
Pittsburgh	31	67	.315

Erratic Playing Losses

	W.	L.	Pct.
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St. Louis Beat Brooklyn

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New York	... 030 002 002 000	000 000 11 0	
Mitchell, Cunningham and Yelle; Spencer, Mogridge and Walters			

Plank and Johnson in Duel

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Plank and Sevold; Johnson and Ainsworth			

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Adventures of Uncle Wiggily

By Howard R. Garis

UNCLE WIGGILY AND SALLIE GROWLER.

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Once upon a time when Uncle Wiggily, the little rabbit gentleman, had hopped away from his hollow stump bungalow, looking for an adventure, he stopped under a tree in which he could see, by looking up, a large nest.

"Now, I wonder," said Uncle Wiggily to himself, "whether that is a squirrel's nest or a bird's nest? I must find out."

It did not take him long, for, about soon afterwards as it would have taken him to chew a lettuce leaf, the bunny uncle heard a voice up in the tree-nest saying:

"Now, Sallie, you can't go, and there is no use in your asking again. It isn't right for me to want to go!"

"I don't want you to, Sallie, so that's all there is to it. And, oh, Sallie! What an unhappy face for a little squirrel girl! How cross you look!"

"I don't care!" growled Sister Sallie, for it was the little squirrel girl. "I want to go fishing with Johnnie and Billie. I don't see why I can't," and Sallie, the squirrel girl, as a little squirrel girl sometimes do when they want.

"Oh, Sallie, I'm ashamed of you," said Mrs. Bushytail, the mother of Johnnie and Billie. "See, there's Uncle Wiggily down on the ground under the nest, and he's looking up at you."

"I don't care!" growled Sister Sallie. "What's the matter up there?" asked the squirrel uncle, as he twinkled his pink nose at her.

"Oh, Johnnie and Billie have gone fishing over in the duck pond ocean," answered Mrs. Bushytail, "and Sister Sallie is cross because she can't go. The boys take her, sometimes, but today they didn't want to."

"It isn't nice for little squirrel girls to be cross and growly," said Uncle Wiggily. "But, I know it isn't any fun to stay at home and not go fishing. How would you like to come fishing with me, Sallie?"

"Don't want to!" growled Sallie, her lips sticking out in a most unpleasant pout.

"Why, Sallie Bushytail! I'm more ashamed of you than ever!" cried her mother. "You must go fishing with Uncle Wiggily, and you must go to town to visit me. Here, I'll help you get ready, and perhaps when you come back from having had a good time, you won't be so cross and growly."

So Mrs. Bushytail combed Sallie's hair and started her off with the bunny uncle fishing. Sallie thought she didn't want to go, and she pouted and growled and looked cross.

FLORENCE PINCHBECK.
Winchendon, July 28.

Letters to Uncle Tom

To Have Birthday Party

Dear Uncle Tom—I must own that for the last two or three months I have been very sick in writing and I really tried to write to you, but I just could not make myself late. Well, I'll try again next month. My birthday is five days from today. I think we're going to have a birthday party. We have a lot of ducks that were hatched about two weeks ago. They are very different to chickens. This is the first time we have had ducks and you can think how funny they are to look at. The reason I didn't write to you to send me another badge when I told you that I had lost mine, but I thank you very much for it.

BUT UNCLE WIGGILY ONLY BLINKED HIS EYES TWICE AND THEN SAID NOTHING. HE WENT ON TO TELL ANOTHER FISHING PLACE WHERE HE LIVED. JOHNNIE AND BILLIE WOULDN'T SEE HIM, AND THEN HE HELPED SALLIE GET HER HOOK AND LINE READY, AND PRETTY SOON THEY WERE BOTH FISHING.

FLORENCE PINCHBECK.
Winchendon, July 28.

Working in Garden.

DEAR UNCLE TOM—I have been hillling potatoes this last week and thinning carrots, and I helped my sister to clean up the house. I have a baby brother. He is three weeks old today. A friend of ours got lost 4th; my father found her and she was very glad. My brother Freddie likes the baby very much.

ALLETTA ZEISE.
Winchendon, July 28.

Having Good Time

DEAR UNCLE TOM—Your letter was received by me today. I got the badge and I am very pleased with it. Thank you very much. I will have a good time with the boys or girls to fill in the list. We are now having holidays and have very good times. Well, I have not got much to say as we will close.

ANNIE FORMOE.
Vermilion, July 28.

Has Been on Holiday

DEAR UNCLE TOM—I am very sorry that I did not write to you sooner, but I have been very busy. I have a new baby brother. He is three weeks old today. A friend of ours got lost 4th; my father found her and she was very glad. My brother Freddie likes the baby very much.

MYTLE C. KENT.
Deurne, July 28.

Caught a Chipmunk.

DEAR UNCLE TOM—This is my first letter to your club. I received my badge last night and am pleased with it. Thank you very much. I am in the ninth grade and go to a country school. I am thirteen years old and in the eighth grade. I am over five and one-half feet tall. A while ago we caught a chipmunk. We put it in a box and in spite of it, it kept getting loose. Finally we let it get away as it was so frightened. It ran into a hole beside the house and we have not seen it since. We have had some flowers in the garden, but it is not so good as usual this year. Our sunnies and pansies are very nice but the nasturtiums are best. Well, I think this is quite a long letter. I think that is all I got to tell you this time.

HESTER CLARK.
Erskine, July 28.

ALADDIN CLUB

Edited by Uncle Tom for Boys and Girls

To Uncle Tom
Care The Bulletin,
Edmonton.

Please enroll me as a member of your Aladdin Club, and also send me a badge free of charge.

I am years or age. My birth-day is on the day of 1917.

My father's full name is and our address is 1917.

Our post office address is 1917.

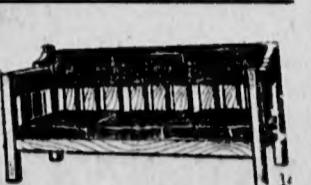
I promise to write at least one letter a month to the club, to wear my badge all the time, and to do all I can to promote the objects of the club.

Signed (full name)

Cut this out, fill in the information and sign your name, and forward to the Bulletin Office, Edmonton, as soon as possible.

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Sidelights on the War

Meatless Days and Fasting.

"Meatless days are now the rule in most of the warring countries of Europe. It was first ruled in Germany that the consumption of meat must be reduced, and the meat cards follow which were issued for four or five days which meat was permitted, the allowance was cut down to a minimum. Monday and Tuesday are now meatless days in France. England wants its meat consumption cut down and on this side of the Atlantic the high cost of living is doing its share in that direction. All of which leads to the conclusion that it wouldn't be so bad to try fasting for one or two days a week or even longer, for those who can stand it. It can be done. Just think how much money we would all of us save if we could fast for forty consecutive days, as Dr. Tanner of New York did thirty-seven years ago. It was undertaken for scientific purposes from noon of June 28th to noon of Aug. 7, 1889. Dr. Tanner went wholly without food of any kind. He drank very little water during this period, and no other liquid whatever. When he ended his fast he weighed 157 pounds; when he ended it he weighed 122. We will fast less often than Dr. Tanner dispensed the old theory that partly easing after long abstinence was fatal, by eating liberal quantities of meat and fruit. If some of the people in the warring countries could do that, one of the greatest problems of the war would solve itself.

"What is it?" pleasantly asked Sallie.

"I think I've caught a fish," went on the bunny uncle. Then he pulled up his pole and line quickly, and, sure enough, on the hook there was a fish.

"But, oh! such an unpleasant fish! It had a big ugly mouth, with horns sticking out of the sides of its head. Its tail was covered with spikes and there were prickly spines on its fins. And all the while it flopped around and grunted and moaned, squealed and cried.

"What sort of a fish is that?" asked the little girl squirrel.

"That," said Uncle Wiggily, twinkling his pink nose the least bit, "is called a Sallie Growler. It isn't named after you, of course, Sallie, but that is really its name, at least in the Atlantic ocean near the Grove. I guess we don't want such fish as a Sallie Growler, do we?"

So Uncle Wiggily threw the ugly fish back into the water again, and as Sallie saw it flopping through the air, and thought how unpleasant it had looked and how it growled, she said, "The destroyers are hunting us, but that is about all we hear of the navy."

"I don't care!" growled Sallie again.

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